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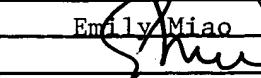
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09/973,638	10/10/2001	Chad A. Mirkin	00-713-I9	7336

TITLE OF INVENTION: NANOPARTICLES HAVING OLIGONUCLEOTIDES ATTACHED THERETO AND USES THEREFOR

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(Case No. 00-713-i9)

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Mirkin, et al.)
Serial No.: 09/973,638) Examiner: Jezia Riley
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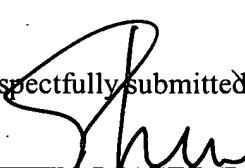
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